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Yuk Nam Lam et al.

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For: PORTABLE BATTERY CHARGER

Examiner: Not Yet Known

STATEMENT OF THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

Further to an Interview of the above-referenced case on November 30, 2004, Applicants submit this Statement Of The Substance Of The Interview.

Applicants concur with the substance as reported by the Examiner, the text of which is incorporated in this Statement, and believes that it is a proper recollection of the items that it addresses. See MPEP 713.04 (items 1-7). Applicants supplement the Interview Summary to include a mark-up of the claim amendments that were discussed and subsequently incorporated in the Examiner's Amendment, as follows:

1. (Currently Amended) A battery charger comprising:
a charger body having
a charge circuit coupled to a power supply;

at least one first conductor electrically coupled to said charge circuit; and
at least one first contact electrically coupled to said charge circuit; and
a battery compartment having

at least one second contact electrically coupled to said first contact,

at least one second conductor electrically coupled to said second contact;

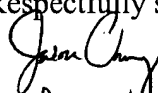
said battery compartment being coupled to said charger body so that at a fold position, said battery compartment forms one unite with said charger body, while at a charge position, said battery compartment accommodates at least one battery for charging.

2. (Currently Amended) The battery charger as recited in Claim 1 wherein said battery compartment is pushed into said charger body to provide said fold position and pulled out said charger body to provide said charge position.
3. (Currently Amended) The battery charger as recited in Claim 1 wherein said battery compartment is pivotally coupled to said charger body.
4. (Original) The battery charger as recited in Claim 1 wherein said first and second conductors are in opposition at said charge position.
5. (Currently Amended) The battery charger as recited in Claim 1 further including a first rotational holder of said first conductor, said rotational holder being coupled to said charger body so that said first rotational holder rotates to zero degrees to provide a horizontal position and to 90 degrees to provide a vertical position.
6. (Original) The battery charger as recited in Claim 5 further including a second rotational holder of said first conductor so that when said first rotational holder is at the horizontal position, said second rotational holder is at the vertical position.
7. (Currently Amended) The battery charger as recited in Claim 1 wherein said battery compartment is detachably coupled to said charger body.

8. (Currently Amended) The battery charger as recited in Claim 3 wherein said battery compartment has two locking bolts and said charger body has two locking nuts and said locking bolts are electrically and pivotally coupled to said locking nuts.
9. (Original) The battery charger as recited in Claim 1 wherein said charger body further includes a switch for choosing battery types.
10. (Currently Amended) The battery charger as recited in Claim 6 wherein said battery compartment has two locking bolts and said charger body has two locking nuts and said locking bolts are electrically and pivotally coupled to said locking nuts.

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Respectfully submitted,



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